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SUBJECT: PEOPLES TEMPLE CHECKS AND CRATES
REF: GEORGETOWN 2101 AND 2374
1. RECEIVER FOR PEOPLES TEMPLE HAS AGAIN INQUIRED ABOUT TWO CHECKS FROM TITLE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY MADE PAYABLE TO RONALD W. GRIMM IN THE AMOUNTS OF THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY-TWO AND NINETY-ONE CENTS $36,372.91). THE FIRST CHECK ISSUED JUNE 5, 1978 WAS REPORTED AS LOST AND A REPLACEMENT CHECK FOR THE SAME AMOUNT WAS ISSUED OCTOBER 9, 1978.
2. ALTHOUGH IT IS VERY UNLIKELY THAT EITHER CHECK IS IN EMBASSY'S POSSESSION, ESPECIALLY IN VIEW OF EARLIER REQUEST FOR CHECKS IN NAME OF PHYLLIS HOUSTON, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO VERIFY ONCE AGAIN THAT CHECKS MADE PAYABLE TO RONALD GRIMM ARE NOT BEING HELD AT THE EMBASSY.
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3. HAS SIR LIONEL LUCKHOO TAKEN ANY ACTION ON THE CRATES THAT WERE BEING HELD IN CUSTOMS? CHRISTOPHER
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